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Application No.: 10/823,368 Group: 1743

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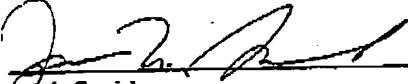
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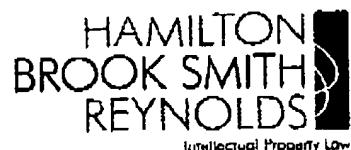
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